

ANNUAL REPORTS
Of the Town of
Hooksett, N. H.



For the Year
ENDING JANUARY 31
1919

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Board of Education
School Treasurer, Trustees of Public
Library, Board of Health, Vital
Statistics, Etc., Etc.

OF THE

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FOR THE

Year Ending January 31, 1919



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Hooksett Roll of Honor

**Names of Men that Served in the World War
1917 - 1919**



Ayotte, Wilfred
Austin, Ralph
Allen, Roy
Bascom Albert S.
Breen, Patrick
Beaulac, Elias
Beaudette, Thomas
Batchelder, Clinton D.
Beaulac, Donat
Burbank, Raymond S.
Burbank, Clifton
Beauregard, Theodore T.
Blair, Walter A.
Cook, George A.
Cheverette, Oliva
Courteau, Fred
Campbell, Alfred
Cantara, Albert
Carlton, Raymond D.
Couturier, Joseph G.
Campbell, Wilfred J.
Casey, Joseph A.
Couchime, Henry
Cournoyer, Alphonse

Coutourier, George
Courteau, Arthur
Crosbie, George H. L.
Couchime, Leo
Couchime, Irine
Eastman, Roland
Fairbanks, Chester
Gay, Wilfred H.
Guertin, Nelson
Grandmaison, Joseph
Goodwin, Guy H.
Hayes, Thomas J.
Hebert, Edmond
Houston, Ernest
Hickey, W. P.
Harrison, Robert
Howard, Frank
Houston, Hermidas L.
Hines, Joseph, Jr.
Howe, James A.
Jacob, Napoleon
Jameson, Henry H.
Kimball, Ralph O.
Keating, Frank R.

Kimball, Roy S.
Kahum, Otis
Lafond, Ephrem
Lawrence, Henry C.
Leonard, Frank
Lafond, John B.
Lasalle, Rudolph
Lafleur, Leo
Lemay, Alfred
Larose, Franklin
Merrill, George E.
Mulligan, George
Martell, Hormidas
Morse, Clayton H.
Main, Mathew W.
Means, Joseph W.
Martell, George
Mitchell, Eugene H.
Neill, Robert A.

Neill, Archibald
Otterson, Maurice F.
Pothier, Onesime
Poor, Harold
Poor, Benjamin G.
Roberge, Thomas F.
Ruden, Samuel
Rushton, Francis H.
Robie, Harley A.
Strickford, Arthur A.
St. Hillaire, Ariste
Stewart, Osroe
Sleeper, Cyril F.
Thibeault, Arthur
Togus, Leopold T.
Tyrrell, George T.
Verville, Frank
Vanasse, Nector G.
White, Chauncy W.



NOTICE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

L. S.

To the inhabitants of the town of Hooksett, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town hall in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1st. To choose a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, and other necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.

2nd. To hear the reports of the Town Treasurer, Board of Selectmen, Agents and Committees, or other officers heretofore chosen or appointed, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

3rd. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools, for laying out and repairing highways and bridges, and other necessary charges arising in said town.

4th. To see how much money the town will vote to raise on bonded debt.

5th. To choose one Trustee for three years for the Public Library.

6th. To choose one Trustee for three years to administer the Cemetery Trust Funds held by the town.

7th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of money necessary to secure state aid for the permanent improvement of highways.

8th To see if the town will vote to receive bids for the collection of its taxes, and to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

9th. To see if the town will vote to give a discount of two per cent (2%) on all taxes paid on or before the first day of July.

10th. To see what action the town will take relative to the observance of Old Home Day, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefore.

11th. To see if the town will vote to purchase and install town scales; raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor, and appoint a sworn weigher to care for same, as petitioned for by Samuel Head and nine others.

12th. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient amount of money, not to exceed two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, to purchase a suitable tablet to be placed in the Public Library of Hooksett, in honor of the Hooksett boys who entered the service to take part in the great World War. This tablet to be suitably inscribed with their names and ranks thereon, as petitioned for by John F. Rowell and eleven others.

13th. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

JOHN W. K. ROWELL,
EDWIN J. MORSE,
BURT OTTERSON,

Selectmen of Hooksett.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

JOHN W. K. ROWELL,
EDWIN J. MORSE,
BURT OTTERSON,

Selectmen of Hooksett.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Inventory of the Town, April 1, 1918

Imp'd and unimp'd lands and bldgs . .	\$879,040
193 horses	19,975
2 oxen	250
413 cows	28,530
45 neat stock	2,155
69 sheep	690
46 hogs	1,555
582 fowls	582
Vehicles, including automobiles	11,075
Portable mills	450
Wood and lumber, not stock in trade .	1,700
Bank stock	1,800
Money at interest	6,657
Stock in trade	49,175
Milling, carding machines and factories and their machinery	354,850
Total	<u>\$1,358,484</u>

471 polls

Amount of taxes levied for all purposes \$26,797 78

Rate % of taxation for all purposes . . 1 95

Amount exempted to soldiers 10,600 00

Labor on Highway

W. J. Mottram,	labor	\$151 75
S. Frizzell,	"	3 00
A. Foote,	"	4 00
C. A. Ordway,	"	4 00
Fred Campbell,	"	9 84
M. Patrick,	"	6 00
Burt Otterson,	"	72 00
J. J. Moreau, spikes	. . . . .	4 75
J. Thompson, lumber	. . . . .	25 60
E. S. Head	labor	297 40
Mt. St. Mary's Ac'y,	"	10 00
E. L. Rowe,	"	3 00
Henry Fittz,	"	330 00
Fred G. Severance,	"	331 26
E. M. Burbank,	"	19 75
V. Ela,	"	34 88
E. S. Rowe,	"	3 75
A. C. Benton,	"	3 50
Roy Todd,	"	2 20
A. Johnson,	"	50 63
Harvey Rollins,	"	59 64
H. Spaulding,	"	50 50
Ira Felch,	"	57 13
Natt Cate,	"	5 00
J. H. Kimball,	"	1 30
Lyman Rowe,	"	1 25
Manchester Hardware Co., spikes	. . . . .	2 33
Ira Felch.	labor	99 91
V. Ela,	"	5 50

Harvey Rollins,	labor	\$5 50
H. Laventure,	"	11 00
A. W. Cole,	"	47 50
F. A. Thomas, grade	. . . . .	3 60
Henry Lambert,	labor	32 20
Lawrence Tatro,	"	7 60
J. C. Burbank,	"	103 50
A. C. Benton,	"	11 24
William Cox,	"	16 12
O. Holt,	"	6 00
W. C. Burbank,	"	1 00
C. Tasker,	"	3 00
H. Burbank,	"	42 22
O. Anderson,	"	28 87
S. Watts,	"	7 00
West Side Lumber Co.,	lumber	60 00
H. L. Brewer, labor	. . . . .	202 62
West Side Lumber Co.,	lumber	57 92
W. M. Davis, poles and posts	. . . . .	19 75
W. G. Averill,	labor	22 60
Joe Silva,	"	4 50
E. J. Cate,	"	5 00
R. M. Ordway,	"	4 00
Elroy Ordway,	"	5 00
Ralph Austin,	"	25 56
H. W. Austin,	"	36 19
E. L. George,	"	40 60
S. T. Burbank,	"	2 62
S. M. Sturtevant,	"	3 00
George Elliott,	"	4 20
L. J. Hardy,	"	4 08
F. P. Poor,	"	85 50

N. Belisle,	labor	\$6 70
M. Belisle,	"	6 70
C. Gilbert,	"	6 70
John Sykes,	"	3 96
Willis Worthley	"	188 00
Spikes		3 77
Davis & Rogers,	lumber	53 30
W. M. Davis,	posts and rails	29 00
S. E. Worthley,	labor	65 00
W. G. Averill,	"	9 63
E. B. Pike,	"	2 75
George Jameson,	"	2 75
Orin Morgan,	"	2 75
E. H. Young,	"	1 50
G. W. Robie,	"	5 00
J. B. Varick Co.,	spikes	4 20
E. B. Pike,	labor	8 00
E. J. Cate,	"	37 50
I. H. Cate,	"	64 00
Louis Duhaime,	"	35 15
H. Vilette,	"	14 06
J. Roux,	"	13 76
O. Duhaime,	"	3 38
H. Beauregard,	"	1 40
W. Beauregard,	"	1 25
Albert Dubois,	"	30
E. Pipin,	"	9 65
O. J. Bendette,	"	154 58
N. Jacobs,	"	12 50
E. Rosseau,	"	43 03
John Rosseau,	"	47 78
Alfred Rosseau,	"	1 25

Henry Beaudette, labor	\$2 50
F. Roberge, "	8 75
S. Roberge, "	11 25
J. Roux, "	16 50
N. Demers, "	24 78
A. Pipin, "	19 50
H. Villette, "	18 00
A. E. Kimball, "	54 25
A. J. Johnson, "	11 00
H. B. Rollins, "	11 00
Total	<hr/> \$3,576 19

State Highway

Cash paid under supervision of state engineer:

B. E. Davis, labor	\$1,368 55
G. A. Woods, labor	169 56
B. & M. R. R., freight	4 00
Total	<hr/> \$1,542 11

State Aid Highway

George Wentworth, labor	\$125 04
G. A. Woods, labor	36 24
Total	<hr/> \$161 28

State Aid, Maintenance Account

	State	Town	Total
Bal., '18	\$49 86	\$107 26	\$157 12
Approp'n, '18	125 00	125 00	250 00
Total	\$174 86	\$232 26	\$407 12
Expend., '18	54 26	96 68	150 94
Bal. for '19	\$120 60	\$135 58	\$256 18

State Aid, Construction

	State	Town	Total
Bal., '18	\$182 18	\$824 66	\$1,006 84
Approp'n, '18	501 25	2,005 50	2,506 75
Total	\$683 43	\$2,830 16	\$3,513 59
Expend., '18			
Bal. for '19	\$683 43	\$2,830 16	\$3,513 59

Trunk Line, Maintenance

	State	Town	Total
Bal., '18	\$2,159 80	\$	\$2,159 80
Approp'n, '18	18,674 70	1,500 00	20,174 70
Total	\$20,834 50	\$1,500 00	\$22,334 50
Expend., '18	20,834 50	1,542 11	22,376 61
Bal. for '19 \$		\$	\$
Overdrawn		42 11	42 11

Salaries of Town Officers

F. N. Mitchell, supervisor	\$22 50
Ballot clerk	3 00
B. H. Rollins bal. selectman, '17	32 80
A. Strickford, ballot clerk	3 00
J. C. Dunn, supervisor	32 50
L. H. Cate, ballot clerk	11 00
John I. Otterson, supervisor	37 50
E. A. Tyrrell, collecting bal. 1916 tax, .	30 00
Collecting part 1917 tax	50 00
Collecting part 1918 tax	175 00
J. C. Dutton, town treasurer	40 00
Town clerk	40 00
G. M. Lawrence, ballot clerk	8 00
Alfred Racine, ballot clerk	8 00
E. J. Morse, selectman	250 00
Burt Otterson, selectman	250 00
J. W. K. Rowell, selectman	300 00
Samuel Head, ballot clerk	8 00
Total	<hr/> \$1,301 30

Town Poor

C. A. ORDWAY

Dr. Freeman, medical attend .	\$5 00	
G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	16 38	
	<hr/>	\$21 38

FRANK RUDEN

Dr. Freeman, medical attend .	\$3 00	
D. L. Robinson, ambulance .	8 00	
	<hr/>	11 00

JOHN MC INTIRE

G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	\$52 00
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JOSEPH WHEELER

G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	\$104 00	
J. C. Burbank, wood	15 00	
	<hr/>	119 00

MRS. A. GRENIER

G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	\$52 00	
J. Thompson, rent	72 00	
	<hr/>	124 00

EDITH ELLIOTT

Merrinack County Farm, board . . .	169 72
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SIMEON BELANGIE

McQuesten & Lewis, provisions	55 00
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WM COREY

Dennis Clifford, wood	2 50	
Total	<hr/>	\$554 60

County Poor

JOHN GAGNE

Dr. Freeman, medical attend .	\$18 00	
G. E. Gordon, medicine . . .	6 70	
G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	38 10	
J. I. Otterson, rent	31 97	
	<hr/>	\$94 77

PERCY CHANDLER

G. V. Fisk, medical attendance	35 00
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ALEXANDER BOLDUC

G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	\$239 62	
A. W. Prescott, rent	46 00	
	<hr/>	\$285 62

MRS. L. CATARA

G. A. Robie & Son, provisions	\$208 00	
Wm Davis, wood	10 50	
U. Hamel, provisions	37 00	
B. Otterson, wood	33 00	
	<hr/>	288 50

JOSEPH PAQUIN

Wm. Davis, wood	7 00
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A. E. HARTFORD

D. G. Hunt, provisions	13 76
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MRS. RUSSELL

J. W. K. Rowell, provisions	10 00
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MAUD GLINES

F. W. Morse, burial	58 50	
Total	<hr/>	\$793 15

Dependent Soldiers

Cash paid for support	\$366 75
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Insurance

A. D. Brown, policy on lobby	\$6 60
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Public Library

A. G. Robie, trustee	\$133 00
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Board of Health

F. A. Thomas, labor	\$95 00
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Cemeteries**HEADS**

E. A. Tyrrell, labor and cash paid . . .	\$50 00
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MARTINS

F. G. Severance, labor and cash	
paid	\$48 00
A. C. Benton, labor	11 50
A. Johnson, labor	5 50
V. Ela, labor	5 50
H. Rollins, labor	2 75
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	73 25

RIVER ROAD

C. L. Waanberg, labor	10 00
Total	\$133 25

Hooksett Veteran Association

E. C. Chase, memorial day	\$60 00
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County Tax

Harry F. Davis	\$2,469 52
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State Tax

J. W. Plummer	\$2,616 00
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Forest Fires

E. A. Tyrrell, warden	\$783 55
L. B. Morrill, deputy warden	5 70
I. H. Cate, labor	9 80
J. Hewey, labor	6 00
Total	<hr/> \$805 05

Street Lighting

Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co. \$1,829 01

Interest on Notes and Bonds

Amoskeag Nat'l Bank, interest on note.	\$30 00
J. C. Dutton, interest on bridge bonds .	420 00
A. D. Brown, interest on notes	175 00
Amoskeag Nat'l bank, interest on note,	14 50
Interest on note	16 25
S. B. Rowell, interest on note	100 00
J. C. Dutton, interest on bridge bonds .	420 00
Total	<hr/> \$1,175 75

Notes and Bonds

Amoskeag National Bank, note	\$1,200 00
Note	1,000 00
James Thompson, bridge bond	1,000 00
Note and interest	665 69
A. D. Brown, note and interest	529 17
Total	<hr/> \$4,394 86

Support of Schools

J. C. Dutton, school treasurer	\$7,859 07
Literary fund, 1918	167 70
Proportion school fund, 1918	683 35
Donat Biron, school tax	9 00
Theopold Biron, school tax	9 00
Total	<hr/> \$8,728 12

Police Department

J. C. Bickford, police officer	\$8 00
Wilbur Piper, police officer	7 00
J. B. Ordway, care of tramps	8 00
M. R. Burbank, Clifford Case	21 91
Louis Ladrierre, police officer	43 33
Total	<hr/> \$88 24

Public Watering Places

Charles Colby, 1917-8	\$6 00
George Elliott, 1916-7	6 00
J. T. Pittman, 1918	3 00
Frank Poor, 1918	3 00
W. M. Davis, 1918	3 00
Total	<hr/> \$21 00

Damages

A. Ruden. hens killed by dogs	\$9 00
James Thompson, heifer killed by dogs,	50 00

Hamilton Colby, damage to wagon . . .	\$3 00
Fred Gilbert, damage to auto	6 50
Sam'l Head, damage to sled and harness,	2 50
Total	<hr/> \$71 00

Abatement of Taxes

E. A. Tyrrell, 2 % discount	\$282 66
1917 list	60 52
1918 list	154 61
Total	<hr/> \$497 79

Miscellaneous Town Expenses

The Ruemely Press, printing	\$100 00
G. A. Robie & Son, flag	21 65
E. C. Eastman, stationery	33 35
N. E. Road Mach. Co., hardware	12 50
West Side Lumber Co., lumber	99 88
Thompson & Hoague, hardware	47
J. C. Dunn, blacksmith work	23 21
Manchester Mirror, printing	10 20
George Georgi, election lunch	6 14
The Ruemely Press, printing	20 05
John O'Neil, making Deeds	4 00
American Express Co., express charges,	1 95
N. E. Road Mach. Co., hardware	14 90
A. O. Brown, expense assessors' meetings.	13 90
G. A. Robie & Son, supplies	17 00
Selectmen, exp , stationery and stamps .	19 50
J. C. Dutton, rec., ret. and re. births, mar- riages and deaths	53 40

J. C. Dutton, expense, trust funds . . .	\$2 72
Expense, town clerk	27 90
Expense, town treasurer	9 20
George Georgi, election lunch	4 21
W. M. Davis, wood for hall	10 00
E. H. Young, sawing wood	3 00
Nap. Belisle, refund cash paid town . .	150 00
Total	<hr/> \$639 13

Summary

Highways, town maintenance	\$3,576 19
State highway	1,542 11
State aid highway	
Town officers	1,301 30
Town poor	554 60
County poor	793 15
Dependent soldiers	366 75
Insurance	6 60
Public library	133 00
Board of health	95 00
Cemeteries	133 25
Hooksett Veteran Association	60 00
County tax	2,469 52
State tax	2,616 00
Forest Fires	805 05
Street lighting	1,829 01
Interest on notes and bonds	1,175 75
Notes and bonds	4,394 86
Support of schools	8,728 12
Police department	88 24

Public watering places	\$21 00
Damages	71 00
Abatements and 2 % discount	497 79
Miscellaneous expenses	659 13
Total	<hr/> \$32,078 70

Liabilities of the Town

20 bridge bonds	\$20,000 00
A. D. Brown, note	1,000 00
Note	1,000 00
Note	1,000 00
S. B. Rowell, note	2,000 00
J. C. Dunton, note	1,000 00
Bal. unexpended state aid money	2,965 74
Total	<hr/> \$28,965 74

Assets of the Town

Carl Johnson, lot 90, Martin's cemetery,	\$10 00
R. M. Bennett, lot 91, Martin's cemetery,	10 00
W.C.Burbank, lot 113, Martin's cemetery,	10 00
H. R. Howe, lot 154, Martin's cemetery,	5 00
E. A. Tyrrell, uncollected tax, 1917 list,	290 63
Uncollected tax, 1918 list	3,349 40
Due from school district, school tax	108 43
Balance in hands of treasurer	3,554 82
Total	<hr/> \$7,338 28

JOHN W. K. ROWELL.
 EDWIN J. MORSE,
 BURT OTTERSON,
Selectmen of Hooksett.

Town Treasurer's Report

Year Ending January 31, 1919

Receipts

Cash from former Treasurer	\$560 53	
E. A. Tyrrell, tax collector, 1916	764 46	
1917	2,674 41	
1918	23,439 38	
Town clerk, dog licenses, 1918, \$254 07		
Direct primary	8 00	
	<u> </u>	262 07
May 2, '18, Amoskeag National Bank, on note at 5 %		1,000 00
July 1, '18. J. C. Dutton, on note at 5 %		1,000 00
State treasurer, forest fire bills		403 53
Insurance tax	\$101 25	
Railroad tax	1,321 56	
Savings bank tax	1,882 38	
Literary fund	167 70	
Proportion school fund	683 35	
	<u> </u>	\$4,156 24
March 11, 1918, W. G. Averill, rent of Mary A. Elliott place, 1916-17		20 00
Ameskeag National Bank, dividends on daily balances		109 75

Hooksett school district, int. on \$1,000.	
advanced to them May 2, 1918.	\$16 25
Merrimack county, on account of aid to	
paupers off farm	764 65
Aid to soldiers	334 25
E. A. Tyrrell, sexton Head cemetery,	
Orrin Morgan, lot No. 187 . . .	15 00
F. G. Severance, sexton Martins cemet'y,	
Est. Perl J. Wiggin lot 96, \$10 00	
Est. F. Benway, 1/2 lot 9 . . .	7 00
William G. Cox, lot 100 . . .	10 00
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	27 00
Hiram W. Austin, rent Mary A. Elliott	
place	20 0
Sam'l Ruden, for aid paid Frank Ruden,	11 00
Pool table license, Alfred Lafond. 2nd .	10 00
Junk dealers' licenses:	
Louis Isenberg, No. 1 . . .	\$15 00
Hyman Krizer, No. 5 . . .	15 00
Joseph Munger, No. 6 . . .	15 00
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	45 00
Total	<hr/> <hr/> \$35,633 52

Expenditures

Orders drawn by the selectmen, No. 1 to	
No. 214, both inclusive	\$32,078 70
Cash in hands of treasurer	3,555 82
Total	<hr/> \$35,633 52

Bridge Bond Statement.

Bonds outstanding, Nos. 7 to 26, both inclusive, valued at \$1,000, bearing interest at 4 % per annum. Coupons paid until July 1, 1919.

JOHN C. DUTTON.

Town Treasurer.

Report of Auditors

This is to certify, that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer for the fiscal years ending January 31, 1918 and January 31, 1919, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JAMES THOMPSON.

JOHN I. OTTERSON,

Auditors.

HOOKSETT, N. H., February 25, 1919.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS, FOR CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

Date of Creation	Trust Funds for Care of Cemetery Lots	How and Where Invested	Am't of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Yr	Exp'd During Yr	Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year
1900	Hannah Farmer . .	Amoskeag Savings Bank . .	\$100 00	4 %	\$15 60	\$4 68	\$4 00	\$16 28
1902	Laura A. Davis . .	" . .	50 00	4 %	1 48	2 10	2 00	1 58
1903	Amos G. Prescott . .	" . .	100 00	4 %	9 88	4 44	5 00	9 32
1906	Nellie Goodale Kent . .	" . .	50 00	4 %	1 45	2 08	2 00	1 53
1909	Eliza A. Buswell . .	" . .	500 00	4 %	47 44	22 08	17 00	52 52
1910	Mary J. McAfee . .	" . .	100 00	4 %	5 61	4 28	4 00	5 89
1911	Mary J. Bingham . .	Merrimack River Savings Bank . .	200 00	4 %	12 37	8 57	6 00	14 94
1914	Adelia A. Davis . .	Amoskeag Savings Bank . .	200 00	4 %	8 78	8 58	4 50	12 86
1915	Elsie M. Gordon . .	" . .	100 00	4 %	1 40	4 10	4 00	1 50
1915	Joseph M. Lewis . .	" . .	100 00	4 %	2 57	4 18	5 00	1 75
1916	Georgia A. Rose . .	" . .	200 00	4 %	8 12	8 39	3 50	13 01
1916	Maria A. Craig . .	" . .	100 00	4 %	*1 17	4 02	2 00	85
1917	Jonathan E. Kimball	" . .	100 00	4 %	. .	3 67	2 00	1 67

This is to certify, that the information in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHARLES M. GREENOUGH, }
JOHN C. DUTTON, } *Trustees*
EDWIN A. TYRRELL.

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NOTICE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

L. S.

To the inhabitants of the School District of the town of Hooksett, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said district on Saturday, the 5th day of April next, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1st. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
- 2nd. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3rd. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 4th. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
- 5th. To see how much money the district will vote to raise for the support of schools besides what is required by law.
- 6th. To see if the district will vote to pay one \$500 note and \$650.48 interest which has accrued and will the coming year on money hired of the Hillsborough County Savings Bank.

7th. To see if the district will vote to remodel No. 6 house and appropriate money for the same.

8th. To see if the district will vote to instruct the School Board to hire enough money to buy seats, furniture and to pay other necessary expenses at No. 4.

9th. To see what action the district will take in disposing of the old No. 4 house and land not needed for school purposes at No. 4.

10th. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

11th. To choose, Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands and seal this 13th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, in said Hooksett.

CLIFTON P. SANBORN,
ERMA E. MITCHELL,
ALBERT F. SANBORN,

School Board.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

CLIFTON P. SANBORN,
ERMA E. MITCHELL,
ALBERT F. SANBORN,

School Board.

REPORT SCHOOL BOARD

February 15 to August 31, 1918

The report of your board covers six months, from February 15 to August 31, 1918, the end of the school year as made by law. It has been trying times for the schools the past year.

March 23, 1918, at the annual school meeting, Mrs. Erma E. Mitchell was elected a member of the Board for two years to serve out the unexpired term of Dr. L. T. Togus, and Albert F. Sanborn for three years. The board organized for business by electing C. P. Sanborn as chairman, and and Mrs. Erma E. Mitchell as clerk.

After two adjourned meetings it was voted to build at South Hooksett a new school house and buy a lot for the same. The school board was instructed to hire \$12,000 or any part of it, to be paid at the rate of \$500 and interest each year. \$10,000 was obtained from the Hillsborough County Savings Bank at $4\frac{3}{4}\%$, to be paid \$500 and interest each year for 20 years. As the law is now, 20 years is the limit the district can contract a debt. According to the vote of the district to pay \$500 each year the board could hire only \$10,000, but this amount will not pay for the lot and other necessary expenses. The sale of the old house and land along the state road should more than pay the amount above the new building.

The board having done its duty, the business of the new house was turned over to the School Treasurer, J. C. Dutton, and the Building Committee, consisting of Albert F. Sanborn, Hollis F. Towne and W.E. Harrison, and the architect, W. H. McLane whose plans were adopted.

The Hutchinson Building Co. of Concord would have had the building done in the fall if the times had been normal. When the building is completed, Hooksett will have one school house it can refer to with pride.

The schools joined with Hooksett Veteran Association on May 30th in Memorial exercises to the advantage of all, we think.

Mrs. Erma E. Mitchell, took the enumeration in September, and found 157 girls and 169 boys. C. P. Sanborn acted as truant office.

We wish to thank all who have given us aid in trying to make our schools good, and urge the parents to take renewed interest in the schools.

We are requested by the State Superintendent of Schools to hold our school meeting in April, as a law may be passed at Concord this term of the legislature that may make change our financial requirements and by having the meeting after the law is passed we will be in a better position to act.

These are the financial requirements as we see them now :

Amount required by law	\$2,265 00
Requirements besides	4,500 00

CLASSIFIED EXPENDITURES

Superintendent	\$300 00
Not classified	3 21
Teachers	1,197 20
High and academy tuition	432 02
Elementary tuition	25 00
Books and supplies	24 94
Janitors	30 00
Fuel	3 00
Light	4 50
Janitors' supplies	2 84
Repairs	8 20
Equipment	5 00
Expenses of operation and maintenance,	36 80
Transporation	256 00
Sundries	8 97
Total	<hr/> \$2,337 68

ITEMIZED STATEMENT

February 15 to August 31, 1918

Orders drawn by clerk and paid by treasurer:

Feb. 27, Geo. W. Sumner, supt.	\$50 00
27, B. & M. R. R., tickets	50 00
Mar. 26, " " "	50 00
26, Elsie E. Reade, teach'g, No. 2	48 00
26, Caroline C. Paul, " 4	48 00
26, Ida B. Furber, " 5	44 00
26, M. M. Murray, " 6 G	56 00

Mar.	26, Ruth McCaig, teach'g, No. 6 P	\$44 00
	26, Ema Sebra, " 7 .	44 00
	26, C. M. Conroy, " 8 .	40 00
	26, Pembroke Academy, tuition .	144 00
	26, C. M. Anton, tuning piano . .	3 00
	26, J. B. Varick Co., slating black,	1 20
April	8, D. W. Fox, padlocks	1 00
	22, G. W. Sumner, supt. Mar., Apr.	100 00
	22, E. E. Reade, teach'g No. 2 .	48 00
	22, C. C. Paul, " 4 .	48 00
	22, Ida B. Furber, " 5 .	44 00
	22, M. M. Murray, " 6 G	56 00
	22, Ruth McCaig, " 6 P	44 00
	22, Emma Sebra, " 7 .	44 00
	22, C. M. Conroy, " 8 .	20 00
	22, B. & M. R. R., tickets . .	50 00
	22, F. A. Thomas, Manchester high tuition	39 15
	24, E. S. Brown, teach'g, No. 8 .	16 00
May	21, Margaret Murray, " 6 G	56 00
	21, Ruth McCaig, " 6 P	44 00
	21, Ema Sebra, " 7 .	37 40
	21, E. S. Brown, " 8 .	40 00
	21, C. C. Paul, " 4 .	48 00
	21, B. & M. R. R., tickets . . .	50 00
	21, E. E. Reade, teach'g, No. 2 .	40 80
	21, Ida B. Furber, " 5 .	33 00
	21, C. P. Sanborn, supplies . . .	7 65
	21, Manchester Tr., L. and P. Co., electrical energy	3 10
	21, A. Bibeau, fuse plug, No. 6	40
	21, Silver Burdett & Co. books .	6 18

May	21, Kaustine Co., pump for No. 4	\$4 50,
	21, Union School Dist., Concord, tuition	96 97
	21, C. W. Hartford, transportation	32 00
June	10, G. W. Sumner, supt., for May,	50 00
	10, M. M. Murray, teach'g No. 6 G	42 00
•	10, Ruth McCraig, " 6 P	33 00
	10, Emma Sebra, " 7 .	33 00
	10, E. S. Brown, " 8 .	30 00
	10, E. E. Reade, " 2 .	36 00
	10, C. C. Paul, " 4 .	36 00
	10, Ida Furber, " 5 .	33 00
	10, Pembroke Academy, tuition .	105 00
	10, C. W. Hartford, transportation	24 00
	10, A. F. Sanborn, Manchester High	15 95
	10, Allenstown School Dist, tuition	25 00
	10, Hector Vanasse, labor, No. 5 .	1 00
	10, MacMillian Co., books . . .	1 15
	10, J. L. Hammett Co., supplies .	99
	13, Frank Thomas, janitor, No. 6 .	9 00
	19, Manchester Tr., L. & P. Co., energy	1 00
	19, Williams Printing Co., printing	5 75
	19, S. E. Worthley, wood	3 00
	19, G. A. Robie & Son, supplies .	2 84
	19, Emma E. Mitchell, cash, stamps and janitor	7 21
	19, C. P. Sanborn, labor and supplies	2 80
	19, A. F. Sanborn, freight . . .	1 52
	19, E. E. Babb & Co., books and supplies	16 62
	19, Ida B. Furber, teach'g, No. 5 .	11 00

June 27, Robert Knight, janitor, No. 7 .	\$3 00
27. H. Jones, janitor, No. 8 . . .	3 00
27. Mrs. H. Vanasse, janitor, No. 5	5 50
27, L. A. Thomas, Manchester High spring term	15 95
27, G. W. Sumner, supt, June . .	50 00
27. M. Murray, expense decorating	2 13
Aug. 1, G. W. Sumner, supt., July . .	50 00
1, W. J. Mottram, cleaning vault, No. 6	5 50
1, A. F. Sanborn, g cleanin vault. No. 2	5 00
10, Pembroke Academy, tuition for F. Heath	15 00
10. Emma E. Mitchell, cash paid W. Corey, janitor, No. 4 . .	3 00
10. Friendship Lodge, use of hall.	5 00
10. A. F. Sanborn, work and exp.	13 42
27. George Jameson, work, No. 6 .	2 00
Total	\$2,337 68

CLIFTON P. SANBORN.

ERMA E. MITCHELL,

ALBERT F. SANBORN,

School Board.

ATTENDANCE TABLE for Year Ending August 31, 1918

SCHOOLS	Length of School in Weeks	Whole Number of Pupils Registered			Average Daily Attendance	Average Daily Absence	Average Membership	Per Cent. of Attendance	Number of Cases of Tardiness	Number of Cases of Dismissal	Visits by Superintendent	Visits by School Board	Number of Visits by Others	Pupils Not Absent or Tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls										
No. 2	34	41	23	16	29	4	33	89	313	15	12	5	71	.
No. 4	34	55	29	26	36	7	43	83	416	60	17	7	45	.
No. 5	34	29	15	14	17	3	20	85	14	.	10	4	34	.
No. 6, Primary .	34	30	19	11	25	5	30	83	152	38	23	10	76	.
No. 6, Grammar	34	52	24	28	35	4	39	89	337	42	13	3	22	.
No. 7	34	22	10	12	14	2	16	87	96	26	12	6	64	.
No. 8	30	9	5	4	7	1	8	96	13	6	10	2	27	1
Entire District .	33	238	127	111	163	26	189	86	1341	187	97	37	339	1

REPORT OF Superintendent of Schools

FEBRUARY 1, 1919.

To the School Board and Citizens:

The four years of fighting have come to an end. You and I have survived the most momentous period in history, but one fraught with no less dangerous possibilities is just ahead. Statesmen and publicists are looking forward, not with a faltering courage, but with a firm conviction that preparedness is the only safeguard against economic and social upheavals more destructive to the bulwarks of civilization than war between nations has ever been.

The right sort of educational effort, supported with the same enthusiasm and generosity with which the war has been supported, could regenerate us in a generation. but will the dark clouds now breaking in storm over Europe stay their progress across the Atlantic and give us time?

To prepare against the future, education must: Combat poverty by teaching the average boy and girl how to make a living, by preserving the child's health during his school days and teaching him how to preserve it during his working years; prevent disloyalty by thoroughly acquainting every child with American institutions, their history and their meaning; lessen class an-

tagonism by teaching the intellect to understand economic laws and the heart to feel the brotherhood of man.

Never have the times demanded so imperatively of officials and of citizens clear heads and unselfish hearts. And the alternative? It is now being exhibited to us in Russia and in Germany and in other once well-ordered European states.

Our nation is aroused to these needs; the state is drafting legislation to inaugurate a preparedness campaign. Are the individual towns awake?

We shall require better buildings and furniture to preserve the health; better equipment and courses of study to train for citizenship and to prepare for living; teachers with a broader training and a deeper life experience, of the highest type of manhood and womanhood, physically, mentally and spiritually strong.

Is Hooksett School District ready to meet such demands? The most cheering thing, at present, is the new building which is nearly completed at South Hooksett. When the children of Lincoln Park are comfortably housed in a modern structure, will the parents at Number Six still be content to have their children use the outdoor toilets in their present location and condition? Will the brains of some children at Number Two still simmer uncomplainingly near an unprotected stove? Will the little ones at Number Seven still climb the high platform to reach the blackboard? And will your children in all the schools continue to strain their eyes trying to read from poor blackboards, placed between the windows; to sit for six hours a day in seats that do not fit them? Will mothers be willing to have their children live in rooms that receive about thirty cents' worth of care each week and where flies, fresh from the outhouse vaults crawl over their desks and faces?

When the new building is opened it will require a second teacher. To partly make up for the loss occasioned by the crowded condition for the past year or two, a most excellent teacher is demanded. When thousands of schools throughout the country have been closed for lack of teachers, Hooksett is fortunate indeed in keeping its quota filled, at the salaries paid. Teachers' salaries in Hooksett have increased somewhat in the past twenty years, it is true, but the increase throughout the state has been so much greater than ours that we have no right to expect our present salaries to secure *and keep* such teachers as we formerly had. In 1898, you report that all your teachers were graduates of higher institutions, as follows: training school, 1; normal school, 3; college, 6. But you were paying them twenty per cent more than the state average salary then. In 1913, you were paying a little less than the state average and, according to the state superintendent's report, you had not one trained teacher on your list, with only seventy-four other districts in the state in the same low class. Two hundred and thirty-four districts had some trained teachers, fifty-six of them having fifty per cent. or more. It has not been an easy task, in 1918, with salaries now dropped to *ten per cent. less* than the state average, to secure good teachers for your schools. And if, after a year or even a term of service, a good teacher hears of a better position, you have given your superintendent no argument with which to induce her to stay, either satisfactory buildings or satisfactory salary.

Another condition, which discourage and drives away ambitious teachers, and makes the work of the schools less efficient, is the hopelessly poor attendance. Influenza caused much unavoidable absence during the

past fall term, but for the entire period of my term of office conditions of attendance have been utterly beyond excuse. I believe that much irregularity is due to thoughtlessness on the part of the parents. I wish they would look over the school registers and consider the waste of time, and money, and energy that such poor attendance entails; the killing of the pupils' interest and the teachers' enthusiasm and courage. More money should be raised to improve attendance. The truant officer should himself take the school census; in no other way can he get the information necessary for his best work. The indiscriminate dragging of children into school and parents into court would not solve the problem, but the community should stand squarely for an adequate system of following up careless families as well as for sterner measures for obstinate offenders.

It is unfortunate that your superintendent lives so far away that he comes in contact with the adult citizens very little. The printed word of criticism seems cold and harsh without the warmer touch of personal acquaintance. You can doubtless realize that I would like to keep on good terms with every man and woman in Hooksett, and that I well know that urgent recommendations involving the expenditure of considerable money do not commonly tend toward that end. I am unable, however, to escape the conviction that my first duty and highest loyalty must be to the children for whom the schools exist rather than to the citizens who pay my salary.

The children have no voice in your deliberations. It is written all over the statistics of Hooksett schools for the past few years that the voice of the taxpayer has been loud and strong.

Not forgetting that the town has a bridge to pay for, that now the school district is in debt, recalling the present high cost of living, but seeing in my daily work your children, their ability, their opportunity, their handicaps, their needs, I must say frankly, deliberately, that Hooksett School District is falling far short in its duty to its "Men and women of tomorrow." I trust that some of you will agree with me, but whether you do or not, I have faith to believe that twenty years from now some of your children will pick up this report and remark: "That superintendent back there told Dad the truth about my school. I wonder what Dad did about it."

My own education was begun in a school similar to the Hooksett schools. I am very well aware that you can point to far too many places in New Hampshire where conditions still remain worse than in Hooksett. But throughout the state such conditions are disappearing more and more rapidly. We do not wish Hooksett to lag too near the rear in this procession.

I have heard it stated that Hooksett cannot afford better schools and have, therefore, taken pains to study especially your financial condition for a long period of time. I find nothing to substantiate such a claim. For the past five years the tax rate for the town for all purposes has been less than the average tax rate throughout the state; and it has been low for a dozen years before that, though I have no state figures with which to compare it. Your school rate of taxation was a little above the state average for schools, in 1899, but in comparison with the state rate it steadily grew less for fifteen years until, in 1913, it was much less than the state average. I have no state figures later than that. Comparing Hooksett with other

towns in our supervisory union: Its average school rate from 1903 to 1913 was three-fourths that of Boscawen, and from 1914 to 1918 it was one-half that of Penacook. Behind each of the six teachers now employed, Hooksett has an equalized valuation of more than two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars. This is ten per cent more than Pembroke has and twenty per cent. above Pittsfield.

My recommendations are:

First.—That the district plan to put at least one building each year into thoroughly satisfactory condition, the school board furnishing to the voters at each annual meeting careful estimates of the cost for some particular building.

Second.—That provision should be made in your budget for salaries large enough to retain the services of seven superior teachers for several years.

Third.—That better janitor service be provided for. In the new building, all will agree, that this will be a necessity.

Fourth.—That money be raised to equip the new building with modern furniture.

Fifth.—That every toilet building be put into passable condition and kept so until the reconstruction program, outlined in the first recommendation has been completed at all the schools.

Sixth.—That at least one hundred dollars be appropriated, from which to pay the truant officer on a per diem basis, and that each parent hereby resolve that he shall have no chance to earn one cent of this money.

Seventh.—That the school board report to the selectmen that five hundred dollars will be needed for text books and scholars' supplies and ten dollars for flags.

Respectfully

GEORGE W. SUMNER,
Superintendent.

GRADUATION EXERCISES
OF THE
EIGHTH GRADE HOOKSETT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

AT ODD FELLOWS HALL
THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 13, 1918
AT 8.15 O'CLOCK

PROGRAM

MOTTO—"Climb, Though the Rocks be Rugged.

Prayer

Song, "A Merry Life," from "Turnculi Turncule"
GRADES VI, VII, VIII *Denza*

Recitation, "The Soul of a Violin" *Merrill*
KENNETH BAILEY

Piano Solo, "Conamore" *Beaumont*
BERTHA HILL

Song, "There's a Long, Long Trail" *Elliott*
AGNES CAMPBELL AND SCHOOL

Original Story, "A Brave Boy"
EVA JOHNSON

Song, "Can't Yo' Heah Mah Callin', Caroline?"
JOSEPHINE FRIZZELL, AGNES CAMPBELL AND CHORUS

Recitation, "The Second Trail" *Kellogg*
HELEN KIMBALL

Duet, "The Charge of the Ulhans" *Bohm*

HELEN KIMBALL AND ROSE HARRISON

Paper, "Sarah Barton and the Red Cross"

ELSIE RUDEN

Song, "Keep the Home Fires Burning"

GRADES VI, VII, VIII

Recitation, "The One-Legged Goose" *Smith*

HARRY HOWARD

Presentation of Diplomas

"The Star Spangled Banner"

CLASS OF 1918

Bailey, Kenneth Stuber	Howard, Harry Wallace
Dwyer, Carroll	Johnson, Eva May
Fairbanks, Rufus Hill	Kimball, Helen May
Gately, Edward Joseph	Merrill, Lena May
Glennon, Mary Martha	Ruden, Elsie Jessie
Harrison, Rose Amelia	Sell, George Arthur
Hill, Bertha Mary	Smith, Esther Leona
Thomas, Frank Harrington	

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT, Kenneth Bailey

VICE-PRESIDENT, Rose Harrison

TREASURER, Elsie Ruden

SECRETARY, Frank Thomas

CLASS COLORS, Red, White and Blue

School Treasurer's Report

February 15, 1918, to August 31, 1918

Receipts

Cash from former treasurer	\$624 81
From selectmen, May 2, 1918, \$1,000 00	
June 26	550 00
August 5	200 00
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	1,750 00
From Tuition, May 4, 1918, Bertha	
Bickford, winter term	62 50
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Total	\$2,381 31

Expenditures

Paid orders drawn by the clerk of School	
Board, Nos. 501 to 579, inclusive, \$2,337 68	
Cash in hands of treasurer	43 63
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Total	\$2,381 31

JOHN C. DUTTON,
Treasurer of School District.

Report of Auditors

This is to certify, that we have examined the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer of the School District for the fiscal years ending February 15, 1917 and to August 31, 1918, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRED N. MITCHELL,
WALTER E. HARRISON,
Auditors.

HOOKSETT, N. H., February 24, 1919.

Report of Treasurer

Hooksett Veteran Association

1918

Received from former treasurer	\$. . .
From town treasurer	60 00
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Total	\$60 00
Paid for flags	\$14 08
Decorating graves	7 50
Car Fare, school children,	4 00
G. A. R., as guests	1 50
Speaker	10 00
Hall	5 00
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	42 08
Balance in hands of treasurer	\$17 92

EBEN C. CHASE,
Treasurer.

Arah W. Prescott Library

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

Receipts

Cash on hand, last report	\$42 62
Received from town appropriation	133 00
Total	<hr/> \$175 62

Expenditures

Paid Granite Monthly	\$1 00
Temple & Farrington, books	3 70
Geo. D. Fitts, books	30 64
G. A. Robie & Son, suppl.,	3 64
Jennie B. Abbott, librarian,	25 00
Rochester Courier, cards	2 85
E. C. Eastman Co., books	48 29
Total	<hr/> \$115 12
Cash on hand	60 50
	<hr/> \$175 62

EUGENE S. HEAD,
LEOPOLD T. TOGUS,
ARTHUR G. ROBIE,

Trustees.

HOOKSETT, N. H., February 21, 1919.

Report of Librarian

For Year Ending March 1, 1919

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- 109 books added to the library during the year.
77 books purchased with town appropriation.
8 books, gift of Secretary of State.
1 book, gift of Mr. Arah W. Prescott.
2 books, gift of Mr. Clarence Woods.
5 books, gift of Miss Frances M. Togus.
3 books, gift of Miss Grace Blanchard, librarian of
Concord library.
1 book, gift of Interstate Commerce Commission.
6 books, gift of Mr. Clifton P. Sanborn.
1 book, gift of Miss Mary Fuller.
1 book, gift of Mrs. George E. Cate.
2 books, gift of Miss Jennie B. Abbott
2 books, purchased with money received from fines.

Circulation of Books

March,	1918	458 books
April,	"	261 "
May,	"	220 "
June,	"	297 "
July,	"	230 "
August,	"	266 "
September,	"	244 "

October, 1918	168 books
November, "	310 "
December, "	398 "
January, 1919	366 "
February, "	353 "

Total circul'n for y'r end'g Mar. 1, '19, 3,471 books

Remarks

The year 1918 has been a very hard year for every one. Public libraries have been no exception. The patronage of the library has been better than usual. The trouble has been in procuring books, also in price. Booksellers tell us that it is very hard to get books from the publishers. Sometimes they wait many weeks to have their orders filled. Books that we could formerly purchase for \$1.00, are now \$1.50 and \$1.60. Our town appropriation has been no larger this year; it follows, that we could not purchase as many books as we would like. We have a good selection of books, recommended by trained librarians. We hope our patrons will enjoy them.

Mr. Charles Porter, of Manchester, has given 7 Geographical Magazines, which is one of the best published. Miss Mary Fuller has given the Red Cross Magazine for the entire year. There are so many earnest Red Cross workers in town, that this magazine is very much appreciated.

When our government called for books for the soldiers, the patrons of the library responded nobly. Nearly 100 books were given. There have been

calls upon libraries by the United States government during the war. Arah W. Prescott Library has tried to do its part.

Mr. Arah W. Prescott, our public-spirited citizen, who gave the library building, has replaced the cement steps with solid granite at an expense of \$150. These steps will last as long as there is a Hooksett, and will ever stand as a memorial of Mr. Prescott's generosity.

We would recommend an endowment for the library. If some of our public spirited citizens would each give a few dollars, the interest accruing therefrom would purchase more books every year and we could better supply the demands of our patrons.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE B. ABBOTT,

Librarian.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Hooksett, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

Date of Birth	Name of Child (If any)	Male or Female	No. of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc.	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 7*	Marie Loretta Simone	F	3	White	John B. Mullaire	Arselia Guertin	White	Hooksett	Mill Employee	Allenstown	Canada
8*	Joseph William Julian	M	4		Charles E. Mullaire	Marie Hebert		Hooksett	Clerk	Canada	"
2	Irene Freda	F	2		Fred O. Bibeau	Flora M. Letendre		Hooksett	Switchman	Hooksett	Somersworth
15	Marie Corona	F	8		Alfred Lafond, 2nd	Annie Turcotte		Manchester	Barber	Manchester	Memmonie,
18	Romeo Joseph	M	1		Urban Carrier	Eva Gramont		Canada	Mill Operative	Canada	Hooksett [Mich.
Feb. 16	Adrienne Jeanne	F	1		William A. Duguay	Edwidge Doucet		Hooksett	Shoemaker	Exeter	Canada
13	Joseph Raymond	M	2		Mathias Brouillard	Arsena Duhamel		Hooksett	Mill Operative	Hooksett	Manchester
22	Marie Yvonne Bernadette	F	6		Ferdinand Pellissier	Celina Marlet		Hooksett	R. R. Sectionhand	Pembroke	Hooksett
25	Marie Florence Rita	F	2		Alfred J. Mignault	Mary Gosselin		Hooksett	Boiler Maker	Hooksett	Canada
Mar. 4	Joseph Roger George	M	1		Napolcon Pelissier	Marie Annie Marlet		Hooksett	Dynamo Tender	"	"
25	Alice Ruth	F	1		Ernest C. Burbank	Alice Ordway		Hooksett	Sectionhand	Hopkinton	South Bow
30	Myrtle Lucy	F	2		William G. Cox	Myrtle Davis		Hooksett	Mill Operative	Manchester	Providence, R.I.
5	Marie Etta Leona	F	8		Walter F. Bron	Clara A. Lafond		Canada	2d Hand Spinning Room	Canada	Canada
Apr. 5	Mary Iolite	F	1		Alfred McClure	Orise Hebert		Pembroke	R. K. Sectionhand	Pembroke	St. David, P. Q.
23	Roy Wilgait	M	1		Leroy B. Avery	Edith W. Nelson		Manchester	Motorman	Manchester	Sweden
28	Cynthia S.	F	6		C. W. Hartford	Delta Thompson		Deerfield	Farmer	Deerfield	Plastow
May 27	Herbert Harry	M	3		Harry Benedict	Rebecca Urich		Hooksett	Gigamaker	Harrisburg, Pa	Harrisburg, Pa.
28	Blanche Gertrude	F	2		Joseph Houston	Eliza Campbell		Hooksett	Teamster	Hooksett	Fall River, Mass
June 9	Marcelle Annette	F	2		Alphonse Lafond	Corinne Paquette		Hooksett	Clerk	"	Nashua
13	Jeannette Marie Aurore	F	1		Jean Baptiste Thibeault	Ella Lambert		Hooksett	Shoemaker	Canada	Manchester
15	Stella Mary	F	3		Henry Rufus Howe	Mary Jane Jeunesse		Hooksett	Laborer	Sanborn	Penacook
July 4	Marie Doris	F	2		Peter Lech	Sophia Gaus		Hooksett	Mill Operative	Poland	Poland
13	Gordon Anderson	M	5		Charles S. Marier	Florida Brouillard		Hooksett	"	Canada	Manchester
18	Blanche	F	3		Fred A. Traver	Anna M. Anderson		Hooksett	Shoemaker	"	Sweden
28	Edward Kimball	M	7		Stanley Oslizly	Julia Lepstka		Hooksett	Mill Operative	Poland	Poland
29	Dorothy Mae	F	1		Burt Otersen	Mary A. Kimball		Hooksett	Farmer	Hooksett	Auburn
Aug. 12		F	1		Lewis H. Jameson	Leona M. Merrill		Hooksett	R. R. Sectionhand	Manchester	Pembroke
10		M	1		Clarence R. Merrill	Rebecca Harriman		Hooksett	Munition Worker	Pembroke	Concord

Sept.	6	Jean Baptist	M	7	John Gagné	Alexina Derosters	Hooksett	Laborer	Canada	Canada
	7	Della	F	1	Ernest Champagne	Elizabeth Arseneau	White	Woodman	"	"
Oct.	24	Verna Ardelle	F	8	George H. Elliott	Jessie L. Hays		Farmer	Hooksett	St. Albans, Vt.
Nov.	12	. . . . .	F		Simeon Balangie	Ovila Ferland		Laborer	Canada	Canada
	6	. . . . .	F	6	Wesley Ham	Margaret Grant		Teamster	Knowlton, P. Q.	Concord
	6	Marie Grazielle	F	1	Bruno Piché	Anna Morgan		Loomfixer	Canada	Canada
	14	Theresa Florida	F	3	Oliver Laronde	Georginna Paquette		"	Pembroke	Nashua
	24	Gustave Rudolph, Jr.	M	2	Gustav Lindh	Eva E. Hayes		Carverter	Sweden	Hooksett
Dec.	4	. . . . .	M	1	Edward Couteau, Jr.	Cora Pepin		"	"	"
	10	. . . . .	M	1	Xavier Privé	Lena Courturier		Mill Operative	Canada	"
	11	Elizabeth	F	10	D. E. Allen	Johanna Ellis		Market Gardner	Swamscott, Mass.	New York
	13	Alice Louise	F	6	John A. Glennon	Ethel Thompson		Salesman	Boston, Mass.	Prince Edw. Isl.
	16	Bernard Roland	M	5	Charles E. Straw	Mary A. Peabody		Millwright	Groton	New York City

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JOHN C. DUTTON, *Town Clerk.*

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hooksett, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence Each at Time of Marriage	Age of Each, Years	Color of Each	Occupation of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	What Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 28	Hooksett	Bruno Piche	Hooksett	39	White	Loomfixer . . .	Canada	Ferdinand Piche . . . Delia Dion	Canada	Laborer Housewife	1	L. J. W. Robichaud Hooksett Catholic Priest
		Anna Morgan	"	26		Weaver	"	Michel Morgan . . . Malvina Lambert . .	"	Laborer Housewife	1	
Feb. 9	Manchester	Charles Parker Bailey .	"	32		Lumber Dealer	Hooksett	Charles A. Bailey . . . Mary J. Dennison . .	Pembroke Manchester	Granite, Lumber Housewife	1	R. T. Wolcott Manchester Clergyman
		Bertha Elizabeth Proud	Manchester	25		Nurse	Manchester	Joseph S. Proud . . . Elizabeth Euman . . .	Milton, P.E.I. Pownal, P.E.I.	Blacksmith Housewife	1	John W. Sliney Manchester Clergyman
11	"	William Howe, Jr. . . .	"	24		Plumber	"	William Howe Sarah Kieley	Manchester	Mill Operative . . Housewife	1	
		Christie Whitney	Hooksett	25		Mill Operative .	Hooksett	Nelson C. Whitney . . Sarah Ann Clark . . .	Turnbridge, Vt. Hooksett	Gas Co. Employee Farmer	1	R. C. Clergyman
April 22	Hooksett	Herménégilde Descoteaux	Wheelright, Mass.	21	White	Milk Train . . .	Ashion Station, P. Q.	Arthur Descoteaux . . Amélie Plouffe . . .	Ashion Stat'n, P.Q. St. Norbert, P.Q.	Housewife Mill Operative . . .	1	L. J. W. Robichaud Hooksett Catholic Priest
		Lilianne Lemay	Hooksett	18		Mill Operative .	Hooksett	Alfred Lemay Sraphine Collette . .	Canada	Housewife Housewife	1	
May 27	Manchester	Nestor Vanasse	"	21		Shoemaker . . .	"	Hector Vanasse . . . Marie Dora Smith . .	St. Césaire, P.Q. St. Zéphirin, " "	Work in Concrete Laborer	1	T. J. E. Devoy Manchester R. C. Clergyman
		Clara Ruel	Manchester	21		Mill Operative .	Manchester	Michael Ruel Marie Louise Courrier	St. Rock, " "	Housewife Housekeeper	1	
June 1	"	Shirley Leon Spencer .	"	21		Plumber	Piermont	Horace W. Spencer . . Mary M. Dunn	Actonville, Columbia Piermont	Brickmason Housewife	1	C. H. Baldwin Manchester Ordained Minister
		Florence Mabel Merrill	Hooksett	21		Nurse	Pow . . .	Andrew J. Merrill . . . Mabel O. Wentworth	Pow	Carpenter Housewife	1	
11	Claremont	George E. Noyes	"	34		Farmer	Lempster	Milan Noyes Clara E. Hart	Lempster Lowell, Mass.	Farmer Housekeeper	1	Wesley O. Paige Claremont Clergyman
		Alice E. Jones	Ira, Vt.	31		Housekeeper . .	Hydeville, Vt.	John S. Noyes Ella L. Curtis	Wales, Vt. Hydeville, Vt.	Farmer	1	

July	22	Manchester	Francis Roberge	Hooksett	21	Mill Operative	Manchester	Solomon Roberge	Canada	Farmer	1	T. J. E. Devoy Manchester
			Eva Jacobs	"	20	Mill Operative	"	Rosalie Bergeron	"	Mill Operative	1	R. C. Clergyman
Aug.	19	Hooksett	Arthur W. Cochran	Pembroke	22	Motor Truckman	Pembroke	August Jacob	Pembroke	Housewife	1	L. J. W. Robichaud
			Catherine M. Dunn	Hooksett	20	At Home	Hooksett	Celina Corveau	Thruston	Housewife	1	Hooksett
Nov.	23	"	Charles W. Avery	"	46	Farmer	Burke, N. Y.	Minnie McGinnis	Ireland	Blacksmith	1	Catholic Priest
								Nellie Sullivan	Burke, N. Y.	Housewife	2	George H. Hastings
			Blanche M. Woodbury	Manchester	26	Teaching	Gilmanton	Siles H. Avery	Belmont, N. Y.	Housekeeper	3	Hooksett
Dec.	1	Manchester	Knute Wilgat Nelson	Hooksett	18	Conductor	Sweden	Alice G. Webb	Canada	Farmer	1	M. E. Minister
			Muriel Wilberta Hamlin	Manchester	18		Manchester	David A. Woodbury	Sweden	Housewife	1	John E. A. Evert
								Ella Emery	"	Carpenter	1	Manchester
								Herman Nelson	Manchester	Housewife	1	Lutheran
								Ida Christine Lawson	"			
								Wilbert R. Hamlin	Manchester			
								Manda Kelsea	"			Clergyman
*Sept	21	Hanover	Thomas Hayes	Hooksett	22	Soldier	Hooksett	Joseph Hayes	Vermont	Farmer	1	George W. Bridgman
			Laura B. Spaulding	"	20	Housework	Hollis	Rosanna Tessier	Canada	Housewife	1	Hanover
								Herbert E. Spaulding	Hollis	Farmer	1	Justice of the Peace
								Kate Farley	"	Housewife		

* Official Record at Hanover and and State Board of Health, Concord.

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JOHN C. DUTTON, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hooksett, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Married, Widowed, Div'd	Occupation	Place of Birth of Father	Place of Birth of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Age in Years	Age in Months	Age in Days									
Jan. 31	Hooksett	Zelire Goulet	43	5	21	Canada	F	M	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Hazaire Téu	Maria Montigny	
Feb. 3	"	Mabel E. Cate	43	3	21	Manchester	F	M	"	Bath, Me.	Manchester, Eng.	Isabel Chase	Martha Upson	
Feb. 7	"	John E. Gay	35	3	22	Littleton	M	M	Laborer	Canada	Plymouth	Felix Gay	Clara Bell	
Mar. 12	"	Arthur J. Talford	22	2	21	Lowell, Mass.	M	M	Machinist	Canada	Chazy, N. Y.	Eugene D. Talford	Mary Conoughon	
Mar. 27	"	George L. Tatro	55	3	8	Parre, Vt.	M	M	Loomfixer	Canada	Hopkinton	"	"	
Mar. 28	"	Alice Ruth Burbank	35	3	3	Hooksett	F	F	"	Canada	So. Bow	Ernest C. Burbank	Alice Ordway	
April 1	"	Myrtle Lucy Cox	25	2	2	"	F	S	Mill Operative	Canada	Providence, R. I.	William G. Cox	Myrtle Davis	
April 2	"	Ernest Chevette	44	1	10	"	M	M	"	Canada	Canada	Jacob Chevette	Floresine Parent	
April 25	"	Georgianna Lafleur	70	4	4	Canada	F	M	"	Canada	St. Michel, P. Q.	Joseph St. Germain	Emphousine Pequin	
May 13	"	Flore Courteau	66	1	27	Peterboro	F	M	Housewife	Canada	Concord, Mass.	Luke Martel	Genevieve Spienard	
May 15	"	Isobel J. Sanborn	68	6	5	Sweden	F	M	"	Sweden	Sweden	Charles Temple	Roxanna Divoll	
May 21	"	Oliver Laronde	85	3	5	Canada	F	M	"	Canada	Sweden	Andreas Anderson	"	
June 4	"	George D. Dennis	62	15	15	Chesler	M	W	Carpenter	Newburyport, [Mass.]	Chester	Grem Dennis	Dorcas S. Hills	
June 7	"	Louis Pétin	79	6	1	Yamaska, P. Q.	M	M	Retired	Canada	Canada	Louis Pétin	Catherine St. Germain	
June 12	"	Maria Eva Loretta Maher	72	7	27	Hooksett	F	M	"	Pembroke	"	Pierre Maher	Rosanna Catara	
July 23	"	Serena A. Cole	68	9	22	Mass.	F	W	Housekeeper	"	"	"	"	"
Aug. 26	"	Hattie Jameson	77	11	11	Dedham, Mass.	F	M	Housewife	"	Canada	Benjamin Allen	Hannah Webster	
Sept. 18	"	Delia Champagne	25	9	22	Hooksett	F	M	"	Canada	Canada	Ernest Champagne	Elizabeth Arseneau	
Oct. 3	"	Lear E. Smith	34	1	3	Hooksett	F	M	"	Canada	Hooksett	Joseph Sansoucie	Florence Davis	
Oct. 6	"	Perl J. Wiggin	5	6	3	Hooksett	M	M	Motorman	Hooksett	Hooksett	Wentworth Wiggin	Mary Cate	
Oct. 7	"	Erank W. Wiggin	5	6	3	"	M	"	"	"	"	Perl J. Wiggin	Alice Belanger	
Oct. 9	"	Harold Knox Wiggin	1	10	22	Manchester	M	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Oct. 11	"	Marie J. A. Thibeault	36	3	26	Hooksett	F	"	"	Canada	Manchester	J. B. Thibeault	Graziella Lambert	
Oct. 12	"	Belanger	29	25	25	"	F	"	"	"	Canada	Simoon Belanger	Olivia Parent	
Oct. 13	"	Eva A. LaSalle	68	7	7	"	F	M	Housewife	"	"	Arthur Racine	Denise Parent	
Oct. 13	"	Dennis J. Clifford	68	7	7	Wentworth	M	W	Farmer	Warren	Orford	Absohom Clifford	Susan P. Boynton	
Oct. 17	"	Ovilia Belanger	40	9	11	Canada	F	M	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Louis Ferland	Maria Anclote	

Oct. 21	Hooksett	George Elmo Come	2	6/27	Pittsfield	M	Housewife	Pittsfield	Canada	Charles H. Come	Angie Soucie
Nov. 27	"	Ella M. Sanborn	57	4/14	Deerfield	F	W	Deerfield	Deerfield	Andrew J. Prescott	Lucy Hilton
Dec. 30	"	Mary E. Davis	69	5/15	Westfield, Vt.	F	W	Hooksett	Hooksett	Louis LaPlante	Lena Courtinier
Dec. 10	"	— Prévé	86	9/19	Hooksett	M	W	England	England	Xavier Prévé	Caroline Biggs
Dec. 17	"	William Woodson	86	9/19	Berks, England	M	Farmer	England	England	Richard Woodson	
Residents who											
April 16	1917, Boscawen	died out of town.								— George	
Feb 15	Manchester	Mary J. Peaslee	75		Pembroke	F	W	Housekeeper	— Mass.	John S. Wober	Lucy Ross
April 22	"	Lidia A. Messer	81	6	Hooksett	F	W	Housewife	Canada, Me	Edward Dillingham	Asia Emery
April 24	Manchester	Florence M. Wood	32		Malden, Mass.	F	W	"	"	John Saunders	Emmie Heath
May 11	Lewiston, Me.	Sophronia A. Haselton	81	9	Medway, Me.	F	W	Farmer	Sweden	Jonathan Crooker	Louise Anderson
May 29	Boscawen	Philip E. Crooker	76		Bow	M	Farmer	Sweden	Sweden	Samuel W. Ruden	Elmira McKenzie
June 25	Pembroke	Frank Ruden	39	10/24	Manchester	M	Shoemaker	Dover	Nova Scotia	Olney T. Roberts	Catherine Froulx
July 23	Manchester	Mary Ordway	49		Boston, Mass.	F	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Felix Lalonde	Harriet
Aug. 20	Concord	Adelard Lalonde	35		Canada	M	Labourer	England	England	William Wats	Eliza Duckworth
Sept. 28	Peekskill, N. Y.	Stanley H. Wats	47	2/13	Hooksett	F	S	Laundry Emp.	New York	Emmie Strickford	Mary Stewart
Oct. 1	Manchester	Pearl L. Strickford	28	5/17	"	M	Nurse	"	Belfast, Ire.	Hugh A. Hill	Anna Partridge
Oct. 2	Goffstown	Hugh A. Hill	25	7/12	Boston, Mass.	F	M	"	P. E. Islands	John A. Glennon	Myra Anna Ordway
Oct. 15	Manchester	Anna Glennon	11	7/12	Gilmanton	F	Housekeeper	Canada	Canada	Dixie S. Leavitt	Leda Soucy
Nov. 25	"	George Arthur Brousseau	25	9/15	Manchester	M	"	"	"	Louis Brousseau	Emilia Garon
Nov. 25	"	Anna Bachelder	28	29	"	F	M	"	"	Joseph St. Michel	
Former Resid'rs											
Mar. 5	Goffstown	who died out of town.									
Oct. 16	Concord	Cora Keaton	45	5/23	Claremont	F	W	Housewife	Canada	Charles Young	Mary Taylor
Dec. 21	Barnstead	Lillian E. Kimball	33	10/24	Hooksett	F	W	R. K. Employee	Hooksett	Arthur G. Robie	Esther A. Robinson
Dec. 7	Manchester	Thomas James Otterson	46	4	"	M	Retired	Goffstown	Goffstown	Martin I. Otterson	Mary E. Whittemore
Jan. 17	Goffstown	Clinton Shirley	67	2	Haverhill, Mass.	M	"	"	"	Gilman Shirley	Nancy —
Jan. 17	Goffstown	Henry I. Rowell	47	4/23	"	M	"	"	"	Joseph Benway	Jane Davis
Feb. 9	Allenstown	Curtis E. Dalton	67	3/12	Canada	M	Farmer	Canada	Hooksett	Wm. H. Cummings	Laura Roberts
Feb. 19	Derry	Francis C. Benway	81	7/22	Canada	M	"	"	"	"	"
Mar. 2	Manchester	Wallace Laird	70		Laconia	M	Teacher	Chester, Vt.	Nashua	"	"
Mar. 18	Laconia	Nellie M. Cummings	32	10	Manchester	F	"	"	"	"	"
April 7	Manchester	Danielson	37	7	Manchester	F	"	"	"	"	"
April 11	Tilton	Eva M. Gilman	37	7	Manchester	F	"	"	"	"	"
May 20	Manchester	Frank J. Dustin	59	9	Manchester	M	"	"	"	"	"
Aug. 10	"	Morse	10		Manchester	M	"	"	"	"	"
Aug. 23	"	Harry W. Wheeler	39	4/10	"	M	"	"	"	"	"
Sept. 14	"	James E. McLaughlin	31	8	"	M	"	"	"	"	"
Sept. 17	"	Susie O. McLaughlin	31	8	"	F	"	"	"	"	"
Sept. 17	"	Bertha M. Prescott	15	10/26	"	F	"	"	"	"	"
Oct. 17	Grasmere	Dorothy Morey	1	2/19	"	F	"	"	"	"	"
Nov. 19	Manchester	Josie M. Hillsgrave	21	11/1	"	F	"	"	"	"	"

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			Years	Months	Days								
Sept. 22	Manchester	Edna L. Prescott	31	4	19	F				Dunbarton		Charles A. Brown	Fannie Fiske
Oct. 26	"	Fred E. Brown	48	11		M							
Nov. 16	"	Charles Robert Kneeland	31			M				Finland		August Stein	Anna Koistenen
Nov. 17	Pembroke	Alex Stein	24			M	White	S	Laborer				
Dec. 3	Manchester	Louis Landry	75	6	1	M							
Dec. 9	"	Mary E. Leavitt	61	17	11	F			Janitor				
Dec. 13	Concord	Don A. Parker	69	5	9	M		D					

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